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MOSCOW, MAY 29 (AP) - MR. AND MRS. ADOLF WERNER OF WEST GERMANY, IMPRISONED LAST AUTUMN ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR THE UNITED STATES, WERE HANDED OVER TO WEST GERMAN EMBASSY OFFICIALS TODAY.

THE MIDDLE-AGE COUPLE WERE TAKEN TO MOSCOW AIRPORT TO BOARD A PLANE FOR COPENHAGEN.

THEY SPOKE BRIEFLY TO NEWSMEN BEFORE LEAVING. "WE WERE TREATED CORRECTLY," SAID WERNER, A SHOE SALESMAN FROM KARLSRUHE.

BOTH APPEARED IN GOOD HEALTH.

THE SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTRY TOLD THE WEST GERMAN EMBASSY YESTERDAY THAT IT HAD RELEASED THE COUPLE ON HUMANITARIAN GROUNDS.

HE INDICATED THAT IT EXPECTED THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO RECIPROCATE BY RELEASING V. A. PRIPOLITSEV, AN OFFICIAL OF THE SOVIET TRADE MISSION IN COLOGNE. HE WAS SENTENCED LAST FEBRUARY TO FOUR YEARS IN PRISON ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES.

THE WERNERS DECLINED TO SAY WHERE THEY HAD BEEN IMPRISONED.

THEIR RELEASE WAS SIMILAR TO THAT OF AMERICAN U2 PILOT FRANCIS GARY POWERS LAST FEBRUARY, WHO WAS TRADED FOR CONVICTED SOVIET SPY COL. RUDOLPH ABEL.

OFFICIALS OF THE WEST GERMAN EMBASSY DECLINED TO SPECULATE WHETHER PRIPOLITSEV WILL NOW BE RELEASED.

THE WERNERS WERE ARRESTED NEAR KIRV LAST FALL WHILE ON A MOTOR TRIP THROUGH THE SOVIET UNION. THEY WERE ACCUSED OF PHOTOGRAPHING AND MAKING NOTES ON MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

A MILITARY COURT SENTENCED THE HUSBAND TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON AND THE WIFE TO SEVEN YEARS. WERNER TESTIFIED THAT HE HAD BEEN ENLISTED FOR ESPIONAGE WORK BY U.S. INTELLIGENCE AGENTS IN WEST GERMANY.

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